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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)	
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VANNIASINKAM, Joseph et al.)	Group Art Unit: 2883
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Application No.: 10/028,419)	Examiner: KIANNI, Kaveh C.
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Sir:

REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION

In reply to the final Office action mailed November 29, 2006, the period for response to which extends through February 28, 2007, and a Request for Continued Examination filed concurrently herewith, Applicant requests reconsideration of this application based on the following remarks.

Remarks are set forth beginning on page 2 of this paper.